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In re Application of:) Group Art Unit:
Jacques DUMAS et al.) Examiner:
Serial No.: 10/030,230)
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GRANULOCYTE COLONY
STIMULATING FACTOR

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO RESPOND TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a four (4) month extension of time to respond to the
Notification of Missing Requirements dated April 26, 2002.

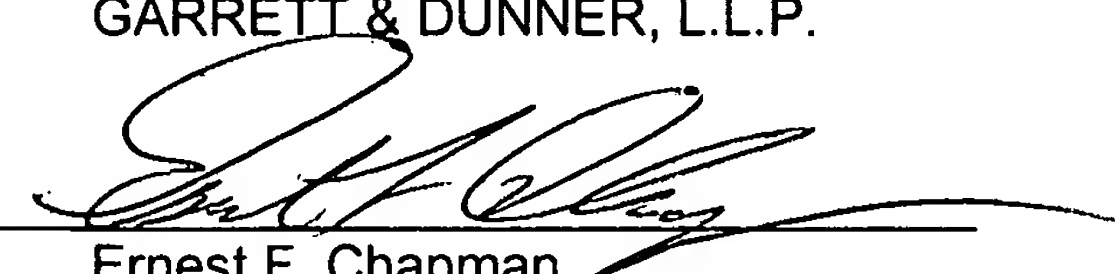
A check in the amount of \$1,440 is enclosed.

This amount represents the extension fee for filing the Response To Notification of
Missing Requirements within four months following the expiration of the due date.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any
additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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